

9th District Commanders Report
2018 Mid-Winter

I'm happy to report that things in the Ninth District are still going well. Membership numbers have been strong and the Ninth as of last week was in 1st place. Squadrons in the Ninth have been busy. In Orange County, members of New Windsor Sqdn 1796 helped at the Goshen Veterans Cemetery placing wreaths on the graves in support of Wreaths Across America. In Rockland County, Squadron 130 ran a Pancake Breakfast on November 12th and donated all the proceeds to help their home post put on a prime rib dinner at the post for about 40 veterans from the Montrose VA Hospital. In addition to the meal, each veteran received a bag full of gifts. Last week in Westchester County, myself, Vice Commander Lou Logozio and Detachment Vice Commander Joe Guidice were invited to and attended the initiation of a new Squadron, # 1009 in Yorktown. After the initiation ceremony they had a installation of their new officers. Their home post really went the extra mile to welcome the Squadron into the American Legion Family.

Respectfully submitted,

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